

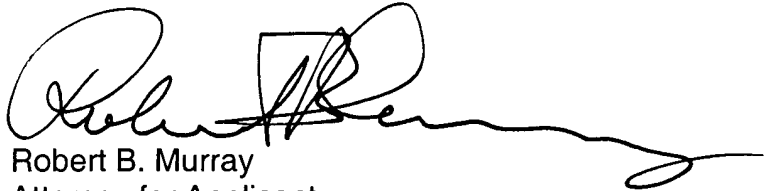
REMARKS:

The above amendments to the specification and claims have been made to put the application in better condition for examination. No new matter has been added.

It will be noted that the claims contain a number of use claims, as this application originated in Europe. It is requested that the Examiner treat the use claims as method of treatment claims, and appropriate amendments will be made when responding to a first Office Action on the merits of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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